GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

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ONLINE SPECULATION
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether some persons are engaged in online speculation activities in the country ;

(b) if so, the details of the action being taken by the Government against the website offering online speculations in the country; and

(c) the measures taken to check recurrence of such activities?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MANIKRAO H. GAVIT)

(a) : The Government has not received any report of criminal activity involving online speculation.

(b): Does not arise.

(c): Crimes involving online speculation can be dealt with under the Information Technology Act, 2000 and the Indian Penal Code.